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ORDINANCE NO. 240-08

BY: **SEAN BRENNAN**  
(By Request – Mayor)

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 173.15  
“MILEAGE ALLOWANCE” OF THE CODIFIED  
ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF PARMA, AND  
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARMA, STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That Section 173.15 “Mileage Allowance” of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Parma, which presently reads as follows:

“173.15 MILEAGE ALLOWANCE.

In addition to such salary or compensation as may be provided by any other ordinance, there shall be paid to elected officials, appointed officials, employees in the Department of Public Safety and other designated employees on the payrolls of the City, who are not furnished City-owned vehicles for use in the performance of their duties, a sum equal to the current Internal Revenue Service business standard mileage rate effective on February 1 of each calendar year per mile for all mileage so traveled. However, Ohio R.C. 733.79 shall be complied with when such mileage payment is made to any such official or employee for the purpose of attending a conference, convention, course or seminar relating to municipal affairs.

The Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to pay the respective amounts as hereinbefore authorized to the aforementioned persons, and he or she shall charge such expenditures to the proper fund of each division and/or department.”

**is hereby amended to read as follows:**

“173.15 MILEAGE ALLOWANCE.

In addition to such salary or compensation as may be provided by any other ordinance, there shall be paid to elected officials, appointed officials, employees in the Department of Public Safety and other designated employees on the payrolls of the City, who are not furnished City-owned vehicles for use in the performance of their duties, a sum equal to the current Internal Revenue Service business standard mileage rate ~~effective on February 1 of each calendar year~~ per mile for all mileage so traveled, **AND IN EFFECT AT THE TIME SO TRAVELED**. However, Ohio R.C. 733.79 shall be complied with when such mileage payment is made to any such official or employee for the purpose of attending a conference, convention, course or seminar relating to municipal affairs.

The Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to pay the respective amounts as hereinbefore authorized to the aforementioned persons, and he or she shall charge such expenditures to the proper fund of each division and/or department.”

Section 2. That Section 173.15 “Mileage Allowance” of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Parma, as it existed heretofore, is hereby repealed.

Section 3. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of the Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 4. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare of the City of Parma, and for the further reason that this measure is necessary in order to ensure that reimbursement is made using the most current business standard mileage rate as specified by the Internal Revenue Service, and this Ordinance shall become immediately effective upon receiving the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council and approval of the Mayor, otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: \_\_\_\_\_  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

FILED WITH  
THE MAYOR: \_\_\_\_\_  
MAYOR, CITY OF PARMA, OHIO